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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Docket No. 403120)

In re the Application of:

HAROLD MATTICE, ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/824,621

Filed: April 2, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
CONTROLLING ACCESS TO
AREAS OF GAMING MACHINES

Customer No. 27717

Art Unit: 3714

Examiner: Corbett Coburn

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 26, 2005, please amend the following:

An amendment to the Specification is found on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

The Remarks begin on page 8.